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1. On 16 December FANG Yi (方毅), deputy governor of Fukien, arrived in Canton for discussions with Kwangtung military authorities about joint Kwangtung-Fukien military defensive operations. The following decisions were reached:
 - a. To intensify activities against guerrillas.
 - b. To speed repair and construction of highways connecting Kwangtung and Fukien.
 - c. To organize jointly about 30 mobile artillery units to reinforce coastal defenses of the two provinces.
 - d. To place all Chinese Communist troops in the border areas under the direction of a unified command of the East China Military District.
2. In mid-December two divisions of the 31 Army were garrisoning the T'ungan (118-10, 24-44) - Amoy area. From 14-19 December the 29 Army was in an area north of T'ungan.
3. On 20 December the headquarters and the 96 Division of the 32 Army arrived in the Shanghai area from Hangchow. About 20 December the 95 Division, 32 Army, arrived in Shangjao (117-54, 26-26) from Chionou (118-19, 27-04).*
4. From 8-12 December the 46 Division, 29 Army, ** was moving to T'ungan from the Amoy area.
5. In mid-December three regiments of the Poichiang (112- , 25-) Military Sub-District were along the Chuchiang (113- , 23-) - Yingte (113-21, 24-12) section of the Canton-Hankow Railroad.
6. In mid-December about 4,500 Chinese Communist troops were in the Ch'inhuangtao (119-35, 39-57) area.
7. In mid-December about 3,000 Chinese Communist troops with about 30 large guns were in the T'angku (117-40, 39-01) area.

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** Washington Comment. According to information available to this office, the 46 Division is part of the 15 Army. The 29 Army, consisting of the 85, 86, and 87 Divisions, was reported in the Amoy area in early November 1950.

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